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C O N F I D E N T I A L BANGKOK 24676

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: ESCAP, PFOR, EA, VN, VS, TH

SUBJ: PRG DELEGATION TO ATTEND ESCAP METTINGS

REF: STATE 276313

SUMMARY: PRG DELEGATION IS ARRIVING TO ATTEND ESCAP SESSIONS, DESPITE RTG ANNOUNCEMENT THAT IT IS DRV. CHATCHAI RESTATES POSITION ON PLANES. END SUMMARY.

1. ESCAP EXECUTIVE SECRETARY MARAMIS HAS TOLD USDEL THAT RTG HAS INFORMED HIM THAT PRG IS SENDING DELEGATION TO BANGKOK NOVEMBER 24 TO ATTEND TRANSPORTATION AND COMMUNICATIONS MEETING, AS WELL AS TT PARTICIPATE IN MEETING OF SENIOR OFFICERS ON DEVELOPMENT ASSISTANCE IN THE REGION NOV 25, MARAMIS SAID DRV IS NOT RPT NOT COMING AND ADMITTED DIRECTLY THAT HE IS UNDER INSTRUCTIONS FROM NEW YORK THAT DRV CANNOT PARTICIPATE SHOULD IT ARRIVE BECAUSE IT IS NOT RPT NOT MEMBER OF ESCAP.

2. THIS FOLLOWS A THAI FOREIGN MINISTRY ANNOUNCEMENT  
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NOV 22 THAT A NORTH VIETNAMESE DELEGATION WOULD BE

IN BANGKOK NOV 25-29 TO OBSERVE AN ESCAP MEETING ON  
FOOD AND AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTIVITY. IT SAID DELEGATION  
WOULD BE HEADED BY MAI HUU ICH AND INCLUDE LEANH VIET  
AND NGUYEN VAN CHAU. BANGKOK DAILY, THE NATION, QUOTED  
INFORMED SOURCES AS REPORTING  
THAT THE MFA EXPECTS TO  
ARRANGE MEETINGS WITH THE VISITORS "TO SOUND OUT HANOI'S  
LATEST ATTITUDE TOWARD THAILAND".

3. PRIOR TO DEPARTING FOR THE U.S. NOV 24, FOREIGN  
MINISTER CHATCHAI CHUNHAWAN TOLD THE PRESS THAT, SHOULD  
THE (PRESUMED) NORTH VIETNAMESE VISITORS ASK ABOUT VIET-  
NAMESE PLANES IN THAILAND, HIS GOVERNMENT WOULD INSIST ON  
THE ESTABLISHMENT OF DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS FIRST,  
PRIOR TO ANY DISCUSSION ON RETURN OF THE PLANES.  
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